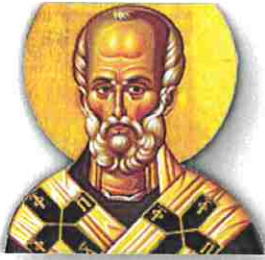


SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 12, 2023 – 8th Sunday of Luke

John the Merciful, Patriarch of Alexandria and Nilus the Ascetic of Sinai

Plagal Second Mode • First Eothinon



WELCOME TO ST. NICHOLAS CATHEDRAL!

VISIT www.stnickspgh.org TODAY for news and updates about our parish!

CLERGY: Rev. Fr. Eleftherios Constantine and Rev. Dn. Robert Lykos

Father's Email: fr.ec@stnickspgh.org

PROTOPSALTRIA: Amy Hogg

CHOIR DIRECTOR: Steve Andrews

ORGANIST: Larsen Vincent

Questions about our Parish? E-mail church@stnickspgh.org or call 412-682-3866

Our Sunday worship schedule: September – May: Orthros 8:45 a.m. & Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.

WELCOME, VISITORS! You are honored guests here at St. Nicholas Cathedral and welcome at all our services. We invite you to receive the Holy Eucharist (Communion) if you are an Orthodox Christian who is prepared through fasting, prayer, and confession. If you are not Orthodox, or are Orthodox but have not prepared, we respectfully invite you instead to come forward at the end of the service for a blessing by the priest and a piece of blessed bread (antidoron).

Our Mission & Vision Statements

The **MISSION** of St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral is to Proclaim the Gospel of Jesus Christ in a Spirit of Unity and Love for All through Worship, Service, Education, Fellowship and Outreach.

Our **VISION** is to be a Welcoming and Growing Parish, Striving to Live the New Life in Christ according to the Teachings and Traditions of the Greek Orthodox Faith.

Watch Sunday services, which are streaming live from St Nicholas Cathedral at www.stnickspgh.org/ and click on "Live Streaming Click Here."

On-Line Giving donations are up and running on our web page www.stnickspgh.org by clicking the please donate button – or you may access the donation page by visiting <https://abundant.co/stnickspgh/give>

TODAY:

- ❖ **STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY**
- ❖ **National Philoptochos Sunday** – an Artoklasia is being offered for the health of our Philoptochos members.
- ❖ A Memorial Service is being chanted for the soul of the servant of God, Dr. Anthony Gialamas (1 year) and a Trisagion Service for Theodore Andrews (23 years). May God grant them eternal rest.
- ❖ Coffee hour will be hosted by GOYA and sponsored by the family of Dr. Gialamas in the Large Hall.
- ❖ GOYA Meeting
- ❖ Friendsgiving Dinner for College & Grad Students at 5:00 p.m.

THIS WEEK AT ST. NICHOLAS:

MOUSSAKA PREP: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday (Nov. 13-16) 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

- **Monday, November 13, 2023:** St. John Chrysostom; Orthros 9:00 a.m.; Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.
Philoptochos Meeting 6:30 p.m.; YAL Basketball 7:00 p.m.
- **Wednesday, November 15, 2023:** GOYA Girls Open Gym 7:00 p.m.
- **Thursday, November 16, 2023:** St. Matthew the Apostle and Evangelist; Orthros 9:00 a.m.; Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.
- **Friday, November 17, 2023:** JOY, HOPE & Little Angels Event Mini Chefs Mighty Mission 6:00 p.m.
- **Saturday, November 18, 2023:** Greek School 10:00 a.m.
- **Sunday, November 19, 2023:** Memorial Service for Peter Petropoulos (3 year) and Trisagion Service for George P. Krelis (48 years) and Argyro S. Krelis (19 years).

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TODAY'S HYMNS AND READINGS

The Resurrection Hymn of the week in plagal second mode is chanted at the Small Entrance:

Αγγελικαὶ δυνάμεις ἐπὶ τὸ μνήμα σου, καὶ οἱ φυλάσσοντες ἀπενεκρώθησαν· καὶ ἴστατο Μαρία ἐν τῷ τάφῳ, ζητοῦσα τὸ ἄχραντόν σου σῶμα. Ἐσκύλευσας τὸν ἄδην, μὴ πειρασθεὶς ὑπ' αὐτοῦ· ὑπὴντησας τῇ Παρθένῳ, δωρούμενος τὴν ζωὴν. Ὁ ἀναστὰς ἐκ τῶν νεκρῶν, Κύριε δόξα σοι.

When the angelic powers appeared at Your tomb, the soldiers guarding it feared and became as dead. And standing by the sepulcher was Mary, who was seeking Your immaculate body. Unassailed by Hades, You divested it of spoils. Then You met the Virgin. You granted life. O Lord, risen from the dead, glory to You!

At the Small Entrance, the usual Entrance Hymn is chanted.

Following the Small Entrance, the Resurrection Hymn of the week in plagal second mode is repeated (see above).

After this, we chant the hymn for the saint of the day (St. John the Merciful) in plagal fourth mode.

Εν τῇ ὑπομονῇ σου ἐκτήσω τὸν μισθόν σου Πάτερ, Ὅσιε, ταῖς προσευχαῖς ἀδιαλείπτως ἐγκαρτερήσας, τοὺς πτωχοὺς ἀγαπήσας, καὶ τούτοις ἐπαρκέσας· Ἀλλὰ πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, Ἰωάννη Ἐλεῆμον μακάριε, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

By your patience you obtained your reward, O devout Father. You persevered in your prayers without ceasing; and the poor you loved and satisfied. We entreat you, blessed John the Merciful, intercede with Christ our God, for the salvation of our souls.

Then, the clergy chant the hymn for the memorial service in plagal fourth mode.

Μνήσθητι Κύριε, ὡς ἀγαθὸς τῶν δούλων σου, καὶ ὅσα ἐν βίῳ ἡμαρτον συγχώρησον· οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἀναμάρτητος, εἰ μὴ Σὺ ὁ δυνάμενος, καὶ τοῖς μεταστᾶσι δοῦναι τὴν ἀνάπαυσιν.

Remember, O Lord, as You are good, Your servants, and forgive every sin they have committed in this life. For no one is sinless except You, Who have power to grant rest to those who have fallen asleep.

We then chant the Apolytikion hymn for our patron, St. Nicholas, in fourth mode:

Κανόνα πίστεως καὶ εἰκόνα πραότητος, ἐγκρατείας διδάσκαλον, ἀνέδειξέ σε τῇ ποιμνῇ σου, ἢ τῶν πραγμάτων ἀλήθεια· διὰ τοῦτο ἐκτήσω τῇ ταπεινώσει τὰ ὑψηλά, τῇ πτωχείᾳ τὰ πλούσια, Πάτερ ἱεράρχα Νικόλαε· πρέσβευε Χριστῷ τῷ Θεῷ, σωθῆναι τὰς ψυχὰς ἡμῶν.

The truth of things have revealed you to your flock as a rule of faith, an icon of meekness, and a teacher of temperance; for this cause you have achieved the heights by humility, riches by poverty. O Father and Hierarch Nicholas, intercede with Christ God that our souls be saved.

Finally, we chant the Festal Kontakion (for the Entrance of the Theotokos), in fourth mode:

Ο καθαρῶτατος ναὸς τοῦ Σωτῆρος, ἡ πολυτίμητος παστὰς καὶ Παρθένος, τὸ ἱερόν θησαύρισμα τῆς δόξης τοῦ Θεοῦ, σήμερον εἰσάγεται, ἐν τῷ οἴκῳ Κυρίου, τὴν χάριν συνεισάγουσα, τὴν ἐν Πνεύματι Θεῷ ἦν ἀνυμνοῦσιν Ἄγγελοι Θεοῦ· Αὕτη ὑπάρχει σκηνὴ ἐπουράνιος.

The Savior's most pure and immaculate temple, the very precious bridal chamber and Virgin, who is the sacred treasure of the glory of God, on this day is introduced into the House of the Lord, and with herself she brings the grace in the divine Spirit. She is extolled by the Angels of God. A heavenly tabernacle is she.

Today's Epistle Reading (for the feast of St. John the Merciful):

The reading is from St. Paul's Second Letter to the Corinthians (9:6-11)

Ἀδελφοί, ὁ σπείρων φειδομένως, φειδομένως καὶ θερίσει, καὶ ὁ σπείρων ἐπ' εὐλογίαις ἐπ' εὐλογίαις καὶ θερίσει. Ἐκαστος καθὼς προαιρεῖται τῇ καρδίᾳ, μὴ ἐκ λύπης ἢ ἐξ ἀνάγκης· ἰλαρὸν γὰρ δότην ἀγαπᾷ ὁ Θεός. Δυνατὸς δὲ ὁ Θεὸς πᾶσαν χάριν περισσεῦσαι εἰς ὑμᾶς, ἵνα ἐν παντὶ πάντοτε πᾶσαν αὐτάρκειαν ἔχοντες περισσεύητε εἰς πᾶν ἔργον ἀγαθόν, καθὼς γέγραπται· Ἐσκόρπισεν, ἔδωκε τοῖς πένησιν, ἡ δικαιοσύνη αὐτοῦ μένει εἰς τὸν αἰῶνα. Ὁ δὲ ἐπιχορηγῶν σπέρμα τῷ σπείροντι καὶ ἄρτον εἰς βρῶσιν χορηγήσαι καὶ πληθύναι τὸν σπόρον ὑμῶν καὶ αὐξήσῃ τὰ γενήματα τῆς δικαιοσύνης ὑμῶν· ἐν παντὶ πλουτιζόμενοι εἰς πᾶσαν ἀπλότητα, ἥτις κατεργάζεται δι' ἡμῶν εὐχαριστίαν τῷ Θεῷ.

Brethren, the point is this: he who sows sparingly will also reap sparingly, and he who sows bountifully will also reap bountifully. Each one must do as he has made up his mind, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver. And God is able to provide you with every blessing in abundance, so that you may always have enough of everything and may provide in abundance for every good work. As it is written, "He scatters abroad, he gives to the poor; his righteousness endures forever." He who supplies seed to the sower and bread for food will supply and multiply your resources and increase the harvest of your righteousness. You will be enriched in every way for great generosity, which through us will produce thanksgiving to God. [RSV]

Today's Gospel Reading (8th Sunday of Luke):

The reading is from the Holy Gospel according to Luke (10:25-37)

Τῷ καιρῷ ἐκείνῳ, νομικός τις προσῆλθε τῷ Ἰησοῦ πειράζων αὐτὸν καὶ λέγων· Διδάσκαλε, τί ποιήσας ζωὴν αἰώνιον κληρονομήσω; ὁ δὲ εἶπε πρὸς αὐτόν· Ἐν τῷ νόμῳ τί γέγραπται; πῶς ἀναγινώσκεις; ὁ δὲ ἀποκριθεὶς εἶπεν· Ἀγαπήσεις Κύριον τὸν Θεόν σου ἐξ ὅλης τῆς καρδίας σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ψυχῆς σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς ἰσχύος σου καὶ ἐξ ὅλης τῆς διανοίας σου, καὶ τὸν πλησίον σου ὡς σεαυτόν· εἶπε δὲ αὐτῷ· Ὅρθῶς ἀπεκρίθης· τοῦτο ποίει καὶ ζήσῃ. ὁ δὲ θέλων δικαιῶν ἑαυτόν εἶπε πρὸς τὸν Ἰησοῦν· Καὶ τίς ἐστὶ μου πλησίον; ὑπολαβὼν δὲ ὁ Ἰησοῦς εἶπεν· Ἀνθρώπος τις κατέβαινεν ἀπὸ Ἱερουσαλὴμ εἰς Ἱεριχὴν, καὶ λησταῖς περιέπεσεν· οἱ καὶ ἐκδύσαντες αὐτὸν καὶ πληγὰς ἐπιθέντες ἀπῆλθον ἀφέντες ἡμιθανήν τυγχάνοντα. κατὰ συγκυρίαν δὲ ἱερεὺς τις κατέβαινεν ἐν τῇ ὁδῷ ἐκείνῃ, καὶ ἰδὼν αὐτὸν ἀντιπαρῆλθεν. ὁμοίως δὲ καὶ Λευῖτης γενόμενος κατὰ τὸν τόπον, ἐλθὼν καὶ ἰδὼν ἀντιπαρῆλθε. Σαμαρεῖτης δὲ τις ὁδεύων ἦλθε κατ' αὐτόν, καὶ ἰδὼν αὐτὸν ἐσπλαγχνίσθη, καὶ προσελθὼν κατέδησε τὰ τραύματα αὐτοῦ ἐπιχέων ἔλαιον καὶ οἶνον, ἐπιβιβάσας δὲ αὐτὸν ἐπὶ τὸ ἴδιον κτῆνος ἤγαγεν αὐτὸν εἰς πανδοχεῖον καὶ ἐπεμελήθη αὐτοῦ· καὶ ἐπὶ τὴν αὔριον ἐξελθὼν, ἐκβαλὼν δύο δηνάρια ἔδωκε τῷ πανδοχεῖ καὶ εἶπεν αὐτῷ· ἐπιμελήθητι αὐτοῦ, καὶ ὃ, τι ἂν προσδαπανήσης, ἐγὼ ἐν τῷ ἐπανέρχεσθαί με ἀποδώσω σοι. τίς οὖν τούτων τῶν τριῶν πλησίον δοκεῖ σοι γεγονέναι τοῦ ἐμπεσόντος εἰς τοὺς ληστές; ὁ δὲ εἶπεν· Ὁ ποιήσας τὸ ἔλεος μετ' αὐτοῦ. εἶπεν οὖν αὐτῷ ὁ Ἰησοῦς· Πορεύου καὶ σὺ ποίει ὁμοίως.

At that time, a lawyer stood up to put Jesus to the test, saying, "Teacher, what shall I do to inherit eternal life?" He said to him, "What is written in the law? How do you read?" And he answered, "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself." And he said to him, "You have answered right; do this, and you will live." But he, desiring to justify himself, said to Jesus, "And who is my neighbor?" Jesus replied, "A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and he fell among robbers, who stripped him and beat him, and departed, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan, as he journeyed, came to where he was; and when he saw him, he had compassion, and went to him and bound up his wounds, pouring on oil and wine; then he set him on his own beast and brought him to an inn, and took care of him. And the next day he took out two denarii and gave them to the innkeeper, saying, 'Take care of him; and whatever more you spend, I will repay you when I come back.' Which of these three, do you think, proved neighbor to the man who fell among the robbers?" He said, "The one who showed mercy on him." And Jesus said to him, "Go and do likewise." [RSV]



GREEK ORTHODOX ARCHDIOCESE OF AMERICA

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Prot. No. 313/2023

Archepiscopal Encyclical for National Philoptochos Sunday

November 12, 2023

Unto the Most Reverend and Right Reverend Hierarchs, Pious Priests and Deacons, Monks and Nuns, Presidents and Members of the Parish Councils, Honorable Archons of the Ecumenical Patriarchate, Members of Leadership 100, Day and Afternoon Schools, Philoptochos Societies, Youth, Greek Orthodox Organizations, and entirety of the Christ-loving Plenitude of the Sacred Archdiocese of America:

And who is my neighbor? (Luke 10:29)

Beloved sisters and brothers in Christ,

Today is National Philoptochos Sunday, always on the day that we read the parable of the "Good Samaritan" in our churches across the country. This most famous of parables is an answer to the question: "And who is my neighbor?" – a question that our Philoptochos Societies have been responding to for generations.

Especially, as regards the philanthropic ministries and initiatives of our Venerable Ecumenical Patriarchate, our Philoptochos Societies across the country manifest the love of neighbor as one's own self (Luke 10:27). They give generously and without hesitation, and I pray that all who hear or read this Encyclical will do the same. Philoptochos understands that the love that is shown to others, is a love of one's own life. They have never forgotten the charities of the Mother Church of Constantinople, and they never will.



Let us follow their good example, in answering the young man's question to our Lord Jesus Christ: "And who is my neighbor?" Philoptochos has shown us the way, even as the "Good Samaritan" teaches every generation of Christians what the essence of true love really is. May we all be inspired to stop for a moment on our busy pathways of life, and regard even those across the ocean as our neighbors. Let us offer them the healing love that will ultimately cure the world of all her ills, and thus fulfill the greatest commandments of all: "You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind; and your neighbor as yourself" (Luke 10:27).

With paternal love in Christ,

† Ὁ Ἀμερικῆς Ἐπισκοπὸς

† ELPIDOPHOROS
Archbishop of America

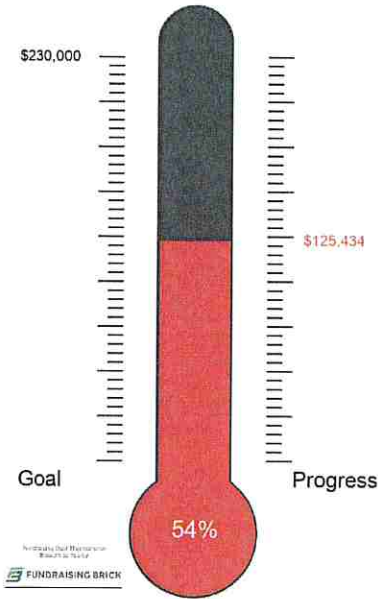
Note: To be read in every parish of the Archdiocese on Sunday, November 12, 2023.

2023 Stewardship Pledge Cards are in the Narthex

(Just ask a member of the Parish Council)

**If you have already submitted your 2023 Stewardship Commitment, THANK YOU!
If not, please take the time to mark your financial Stewardship Commitment today
and complete the talent portion of the card to enable OUR Community to grow and
carry on the mission of our faith.**

HELP US REACH/ EXCEED OUR GOAL!!



Giving Thanks,
**Eucharistic
Stewardship**

2023	STEWARDSHIP
Total Stewards	274 (GOAL 300)
Total Pledged	\$125,434.00 GOAL (\$230,000.00)
Avg. Pledge	\$716.77

YOUTH SAFETY WORKERS

Who is considered a Youth Safety Worker?

All Clergymen (Bishops/Priests/Deacons, both Active & Retired)

Pastoral Assistants & Youth Directors

People assisting, in any ministry, where the participants are under 18 years of age or in high school, whichever is later.

Including Parish Youth Safety Administrators, Church School Teachers, Dance Directors, Greek School Teachers, Youth Advisors (including Chaperones & Drivers) and Parish Council.

Even... Parents who occasionally help-out but are alone with other people's children.

Each Youth Safety Worker is required to register yearly with the church.

Registration is available through the church office. In addition, all Youth Safety Workers are required to take two courses (on-line training platform) annually and to complete a background check every other year.

Here is the website: Please register at <https://ncsrisk.org/goarch/>. The first course, Youth Safety, has two parts. The second course, Youth Worker Regulations, has one part. Prompt completion is necessary as one cannot participate in any youth programs without being registered, having a background check, having PA state clearances, and completing the two courses.

Those interested in becoming a Youth Safety Worker and have not started the process or need to determine what documentation you need to complete, please contact Taki Darakos, edarakos@aol.com, 412-944-4961.

SIXTY CLUB NEWS

Many thanks to Fr. Eleftherios for a very informative Fireside Chat.
And thank you to all for some interesting questions.

A CHRISTMAS STORY

Saturday, December 16, 2:00 O'Reilly Theater
\$40.00

As of Nov. 9—ONLY 4 TICKETS LEFT!

(Transportation can be arranged from the church.)

A comedy back by popular demand: a story of disastrous family meals, sticky situations on the schoolyard and funny visits to Santaland.

Fun for the entire family. Nonmembers are invited!

We cannot get more seats at this price. Contact Alice Gary at 412.249.8612.

Accepting dues for September 2023 to August 2024, \$15.00 p/p.

FOOD FESTIVAL PREPARATIONS 2024

Tomorrow's the big day we're starting up again with our festival cooking. Lend a hand as we assemble our **Moussaka** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and possibly Thursday, November 13 to 16, 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Hope to see you there!

PHILOPTOCHOS UPDATES

Artoklasia Service TODAY – Philoptochos is offering an Artoklasia today to celebrate National Philoptochos Sunday, which has been designated by Archbishop Elpidophoros to take place annually on the Sunday of the Good Samaritan (the 8th Sunday of Luke).

GOYA NEWS

Upcoming Events:

Sunday, November 12 – GOYA Meeting after Liturgy

All 7th – 12th graders are welcome to join our GOYA Ministry

Christmas Chocolate Sale - GOYA is once again selling SARRIS Chocolate. Please place your order with a GOYAn during coffee hour. Thank you for supporting our fundraising efforts.

ST NICHOLAS

Byzantine Youth Choir

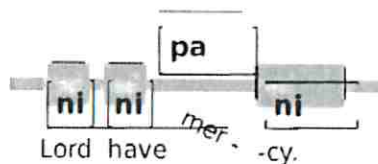
For Grades K - 12

Meets weekly for 20
minutes after Sunday School

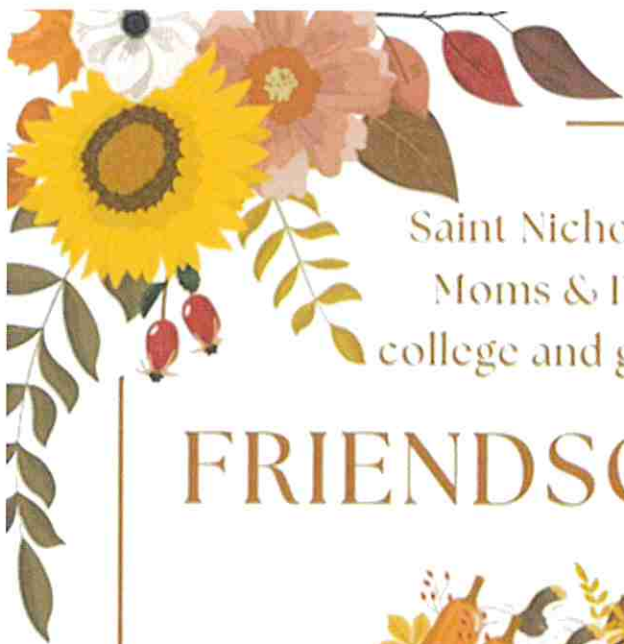
Students can grab a snack at
coffee hour before coming



- *Learn the hymns of the Divine Liturgy
- * Online lessons with audio recordings and videos



*Talk to Amy Hogg for more information,
or email her at amy.hogg@trisagionschool.org



Saint Nicholas Cathedral
Moms & Dads invite all
college and grad students to

FRIENDSGIVING



Traditional meal with all the trimmings

TONIGHT

5:00-7:00 p.m.

Saint Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral
419 South Dithridge Street, Pittsburgh, PA

To RSVP, not required, or for more
info, text or call: Linda 412.523.7938



Mini Chefs, Mighty Mission

JOY, HOPE & Little Angels
Service Project



WHO?

- ☐ St. Nicholas families with kids in Pre-K through 6th grade
- ☐ Older siblings and teenage volunteers also welcome

WHAT?

- ☐ Social gathering with plenty of food and fun for everyone
- ☐ "Mini chefs" will decorate their own chef's apron and hat before working independently or with a parent/helper to assemble a pan of lasagna, which will be donated to those in need in our community

WHEN?

- ☐ Friday, November 17th @ 6:00 PM

WHERE?

- ☐ St. Nicholas Fellowship Room

WHY?

- ☐ To help our youth enjoy an evening of fun, fellowship and service

DON'T MISS THE FUN!

- ☐ Text or email Nikki Lykos (412-897-8208 or nvlykos@gmail.com) by Friday, November 10th to let her know how many Chefs and adult helpers you're bringing

Have a **Ball** at the **Cathedral**

(a good old fashioned Γλέντι/Glendi/Greek Dance!)

Saturday, November 25, 2023

8:00 PM – 12:00 Midnight

Music by “Ta Filarakia”

\$40.00 for Adults

\$20.00 for Under Age 18

Ticket Price Includes:

**Mezedes (Heavy Appetizers) and Dance
Cash Bar**

For more information or
to purchase tickets, please contact:

St. Nicholas Cathedral

412-682-3866

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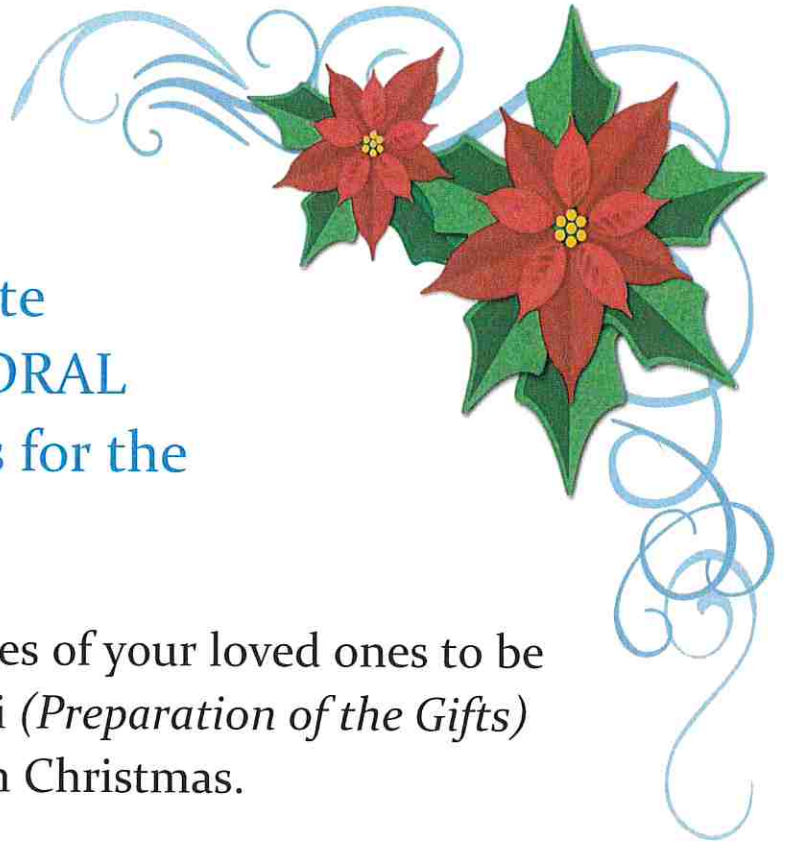
Name & Address: _____

Your list of names to read (*please print*): _____

Kindly return this form, along with your check, and mail to:
St. Nicholas Cathedral, 419 S. Dithridge St., Pittsburgh, PA 15213

All names MUST be submitted NO LATER than December 5, 2023!!

***Christ is Born!
Glorify Him!***



PLEASE HELP US decorate
OUR BELOVED CATHEDRAL
with beautiful poinsettias for the
Nativity Season.

If you wish, please list the names of your loved ones to be
remembered in the Proskomidi (*Preparation of the Gifts*)
at every Divine Liturgy through Christmas.

For the Health of: _____

In Memory Of: _____

Name & Address: _____

Suggested donation:

\$25 OR MORE, payable to St. Nicholas Greek Orthodox Cathedral (memo: Poinsettia)

PLEASE HAVE YOUR ORDERS IN NO LATER THAN December 10, 2023.

Please, either place in the Sunday offering tray or mail it to:
419 S. Dithridge St., Pittsburgh, PA 15213



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Celebrating 100 Years | 1923-2023

You are cordially invited to join G.A.P.A. for an evening of fellowship and memories at our

Centennial Gala

*Celebrating 100 years of brotherhood,
philanthropy, and service to the
Greek-American community & beyond!*

Saturday, December 9, 2023

Cocktails & Hors D'oeuvres: 6:00 PM | Dinner: 7:00 PM

Crowne Plaza Hotel Pittsburgh South

164 Fort Couch Road | Pittsburgh, PA 15241

Live music by the fabulous Stigma Band

Dinner & Dance - \$85 | Dance Only - \$25 (9:00 PM)

For reservations, please contact Joanne Melacrinos at (412) 400-4607 -or-

Helen Valsamidis at (724) 777-5155 no later than Saturday, 11/25/2023.

NOVEMBER 2023

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
12 8th Sunday of Luke National Philoptochos Sunday Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. GOYA Meeting College Student "Friendsgiving" Dinner 5:00 p.m. Girls GOYA BB Stewardship Sunday	13 St. John Chrysostom Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Philoptochos Board Meeting 6:30 p.m. YAL Basketball 7:00 p.m.	14 Adult Greek Classes 6:30 p.m. Beg/Inter/Adv	15 Open Gym 7:00 p.m.	16 St. Matthew the Apostle and Evangelist Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	17 Little Angels, HOPE, & JOY Event: "Mini Chefs, Mighty Mission" 6:00 p.m.	18 Greek School 10:00 a.m. Greek School Open House 12:00 noon Event (BH) 4:00 pm
19 9th Sunday of Luke National IOCC Sunday Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	20 Parish Council Meeting 6:30 p.m. YAL Basketball 7:00 p.m.	21 Entrance of the Theotokos into the Temple (<i>Ta Eisodia</i>) Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Adult Greek Classes 6:30 p.m. Beg/Inter/Adv	22	23 THANKSGIVING <i>Church office closed</i>	24 <i>Church office closed</i>	25 Ball at the Cathedral
26 13th Sunday of Luke Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. <i>(no church school)</i>	27 YAL Basketball 7:00 p.m.	28 Adult Greek Classes 6:30 p.m. Beg/Inter/Adv	29	30 St. Andrew the First-Called Apostle Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m.	DECEMBER 1 Agiasmos 12:00 noon Event (LH) 6:00 pm	2 Greek School 10:00 a.m. Baptism
3 14th Sunday of Luke Orthros 8:45 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. Girls GOYA BB	4 St. Barbara the Great Martyr Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. YAL Basketball 7:00 p.m.	5 <i>Metropolitan Savas' Nameday</i> St. Nicholas Vespers Vespers 7:00 p.m. Adult Greek Classes 6:30 p.m.	6 St. Nicholas Day Orthros 9:00 a.m. Divine Liturgy 10:00 a.m. St. Nicholas Day Luncheon Open Gym 7:00 p.m.	7 Philoptochos Bread Making (LH & Kit)	8 Holiday Party (LH)	9 CHURCH BAZAAR (set up) Greek School 10:00 a.m.